CHAPTER NO. 51

HOUSE BILL NO. 529

By Representatives Davis, Garrett, Clem, Cochran

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 449

By Senator Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 5-9-101 and Section 5-9-311, relative to appropriation and distribution of county funds to pay pauper's cremation expenses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 5-9-101(4), is amended by inserting the words "or cremation" between the word "burial" and the word "expenses".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 5-9-311, is amended by inserting the words "or cremation" between the word "funeral" and the word "expenses".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 10, 2003

JUMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

> JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 23rd day of April 2003

PHIL BREDESEN GOVERNOR